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Submitted herewith is the following patent application:

**Inventor:** 1) ALBERTO GONZALO PEREZ ROLDAN

**Title:** A TRANSPARENT, ELASTIC AND FREE-STANDING COMPOUND, SUCH AS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF CANDLES, AND THE FREE-STANDING CANDLE OBTAINED WITH THE COMPOUND

Please find attached hereto an application for patent which includes: Specification and Abstract, Claims, original Declaration And Power of Attorney, Assignment, and a certified copy of the foreign priority document identified below:

Verified Showing of Small Entity Status: YES

Drawings: Formal drawings, 2 sheets, Figures 1 through 8

Claim of priority under 35 U.S.C. §119: YES

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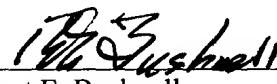
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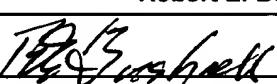
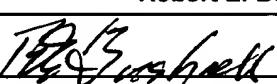
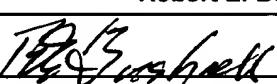
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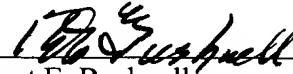
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